

REMARKS

New claim 36 finds support on page 8, lines 29-30 of the specification. New claim 37 finds support on page 9, lines 7-8, of the specification.

Claims 33-35 have been canceled.

Favorable action on this application is solicited.

Respectfully submitted

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MARKED-UP VERSION OF THE CLAIMS

Claims 33-35 were canceled.

The following new claims were added:

36. (New) The method of claim 16, wherein the gene encoding a protein of interest encodes a protein of agronomic or industrial interest.

37. (New) The method of claim 16, wherein the gene encoding a protein of interest encodes a protein conferring resistance to pathogenic agents.